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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
Before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

In re Patent Application of

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Serial No. 09/898,082

Filed: July 5, 2001

Title: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD
FOR FABRICATING THE DEVICE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

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Examiner: Nguyen, Joseph H.

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated August 21, 2002 of the Examiner twice/finally rejecting claims 1, 3-9 and 20-24 (\$ 320.00) \$ 320.00

An appeal **BRIEF** is attached in triplicate in the pending appeal of the above-identified application (\$ 320.00) \$ 0.00

An **ORAL HEARING** is requested under Rule 194 (\$ 280.00) \$ 0.00 (due within two months after Examiner's Answer)

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A reply brief is attached in triplicate under Rule 193(b) (no fee)

Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s) (\$110.00/1 month; \$410.00/2 months; \$930.00/3 months; \$1450.00/4 months) \$ 930.00
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